

Rev. G. Pease,

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Mr. Phelps,

I perceive, by the Boston Herald, that you are at our sister's Capital, designing to investigate and report facts relative to "the peculiar institution". —

I am glad if it be so; and hope your investigations and the reports thereof, may greatly subserve the interests of true civil and religious liberty in our own & other lands —

But without comment on your mission, I take this method to say (intus vos) that I purpose leaving Sandwich sometime in the ensuing Spring, with my family; and to inquire if you have knowledge of any vacancy which, in your judgement, would be adapted to such one as myself.

As to my preference of my own for locality, I can say in a word, that on account of the health of my family, I should desire a place less exposed to the action of strong & cold winds, than what we have in the vicinity of this coast. —

If you have at present, or shall subsequently have, knowledge of a place, which you may think adapted to me, or to which you may think me adapted, I will be much obliged by any agency you may think expedient to employ in accomplishing the object to which I have thus directed your attention. Without laying a heavy tax upon your time by enlarging my epistle, believe me

Your Mother in Christ, truly

Rw A. A. Phelps

C. S. Dease